IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

PATRICIA FORTLAGE,

No C-08-03406 VRW

Plaintiff,

ORDER

v

HELLER EHRMAN LLP, HELLER EHRMAN LONG-TERM DISABILITY PLAN, UNUM LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

Defendants.

The court received a letter from defendants indicating that the parties agree the court should conduct a bench trial in this matter on the administrative record under FRCP 52. Doc #53. Accordingly, the June 4 hearing on the parties' cross-motions (Doc ##29, 38) is hereby VACATED.

The court designates Chief Magistrate Judge James Larson to conduct a hearing on this matter and submit to the court, not later than August 31, 2009 proposed findings of fact and

recommendations for the disposition pursuant to 28 USC §
636(b)(1)(B). The parties will then have ten days to submit to the
court any written objections they might have to those proposed
findings and recommendations under 28 USC § 636(b)(1).

IT IS SO ORDERED.

VAUGHN R WALKER

United States District Chief Judge